APPENDIX B.

QUESTIONS FOR WHICH PRINTED ANSWERS WERE FURNISHED BUT WHICH WERE NOT TAKEN UP.

MESSRS. S. L. MUDDUBASAVIAH and M. B. GURULINGIAH (Closepet Taluk) and A. M. VENKATASWAMAIYA (Closepet Municipality).—

Q.—6. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) if the question of the construction of a reservoir across the Arkavati River near Lingadakatte in Closepet Taluk is under their consideration ;

(*b*) whether any survey in this behalf was made at the time of constructing the Thippagondanahalli Reservoir ; if so, the amount of the estimate ;

(*c*) the extent that may be brought under wet cultivation and the estimated income thereby in case the construction of such a reservoir is taken up ;

(*d*) the extent that may be submerged and the cost of acquisition if the reservoir is constructed ;

(*e*) if it has come to their notice that the raiyats have prayed for the construction of this reservoir ?

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Mr. N. Sarabhoja).—

A.—6. (*a*) The answer is in the negative.

(*b*) Only preliminary surveys were made. The project is roughly estimated to cost Rs. 23,000.

(*c*) and (*d*) These particulars will be available only after regular surveys are made. On a rough basis, the income would be only one per cent.

(*e*) Yes.

MESSRS. S. L. MUDDUBASAVIAH and M. B. GURULINGIAH (Closepet Taluk) and A. M. VENKATASWAMAIYA (Closepet Municipality).—

Q.—8. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the extent of each of the "Hultar" and the "Tenginkal" Forests in Closepet Taluk ;

(*b*) the yearwar income and expenditure of each of these forests from the year 1935–36 to the close of the current year ;

(*c*) whether they are aware of the prayer of such of the poor landless raiyats for grant of lands in these forests for cultivation ;

(*d*) if it is a fact that the areas in these forests were under cultivation prior to the demarcation of these forest limits ;

(*e*) if they are aware that, in the area prayed for by the raiyats, there are no such valuable trees or plants as sandalwood, teak, "honne," jala, bamboo, etc. ?